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Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 Twelfth Street, SW Washington, DC 20554

Re:

Amendment of Parts 1, 21, 73, 74 and 101 of the Commission's Rules to Facilitate the Provision of Fixed and Mobile Broadband Access, Educational and other Advanced Services in the 2150-2162 and 2500-2690 MHz Bands – WT Docket No. 03-66 – NOTICE OF ORAL EX PARTE PRESENTATION

Dear Ms. Dortch:

I am writing pursuant to Section 1.1206(b)(2) of the Commission's Rules to notify the Commission that on September 19, 2017, Paul J. Sinderbrand, Bryan Tramont and the undersigned, counsel for the Wireless Communications Association International ("WCA"), met with Rachael Bender, legal advisor to Chairman Pai, to discuss how licensing of currently unlicensed Educational Broadband Service ("EBS") spectrum ("EBS White Space") can address broadband needs in underserved rural areas of the country. During the course of the meeting, we discussed the June 2, 2014 joint proposal of WCA, the National EBS Association, the Catholic Television Network, and other EBS licensees for the licensing the EBS White Space, and provided Ms. Bender with the attached map illustrating how the EBS White Space, which is approximately 120 MHz in many counties, can address currently unmet broadband needs.

Pursuant to Sections 1.1206(b)(2) and 1.49(f) of the Commission's Rules, this letter is being filed electronically with the Commission via the Electronic Comment Filing System.

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Should you have any questions regarding this presentation, please contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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Attachment

